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Defendant-Intervenor

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF MONTANA,
MISSOULA DIVISION

WILDERNESS WATCH, ALLIANCE
FOR THE WILD ROCKIES;
GALLATIN WILDLIFE
ASSOCIATION; and YELLOWSTONE
TO UNTAS CONNECTION,

Plaintiffs,

v.

UNITED STATES FISH AND
WILDLIFE SERVICE, an agency of the
U.S. Department of Interior,

Defendant,

and

MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF FISH,
WILDLIFE AND PARKS,

Defendant-Intervenor.

Case No. 9:23-cv-00077-DWM

**NOTICE OF APPEAL BY
DEFENDANT-INTERVENOR
MONTANA DEPARTMENT OF
FISH, WILDLIFE AND PARKS**

Pursuant to Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure 3 and 4(a)(1)(B), notice is hereby given that Montana Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks, Defendants-Intervenors in Case No. 9:23-CV-00077-DWM, hereby appeal to the U.S. Court of Appeals for the Ninth Circuit from this Court's Opinion and Order granting Plaintiff's motion for a preliminary injunction filed on June 27, 2023.

A Representation Statement is attached pursuant to Ninth Circuit Rule 3-2(b).

Dated this 31st day of August, 2023.

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**REPRESENTATION
STATEMENT**

Pursuant to Ninth Circuit Rule 3-2, Defendant-Intervenor Montana Department of Fish, Wildlife and Parks, submits this representation statement identifying all parties to the action and the names, addresses, and telephone numbers of their respective counsel:

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing was served via the Court's CM/ECF system on all counsel of record.

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